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In re: Application of
Heilemann, et al.

Serial No. 10/030,933

Examiner: Simon J. Oh

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TITLE: PROCESSES FOR PREPARING CROSSLINKER-FREE,
BIOPOLYMER-CONTAINING THREE DIMENSIONAL STRUCTURES,
AND PRODUCTS PREPARED THEREBY

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It is hereby requested that the shortened statutory period for responding to the Examiner's Action dated September 10, 2003 be extended two-months from December 10, 2003 to February 10, 2004.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the required fee or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-1177.

Responsive Action has been taken by filing an AMENDMENT simultaneously herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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